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## REMARKS

Claims 1, 3-6, and 8-12 remain pending in the application. It is proposed to amend claim 10 without introduction of new matter. Entry of this amendment and favorable consideration are respectfully requested.

The allowance of the application is noted with appreciation. Upon reviewing the application subsequent to allowance, Applicant has noted a minor typographical error in claim 10. In particular, the original language reads: "...logic configured to performed a bitwise exclusive-OR (XOR) operation" (emphasis added). To correct this error, it is proposed to amend claim 10 so that the word "performed" will be changed to "perform" (i.e., the "-ed" will be removed from the word). It is believed that entry of this amendment will neither introduce new matter nor raise new issues for consideration.

Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the proposed amendment be entered.

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